By LIEF ERICKSON and AL

ABOARD HOSPITAL SHIP COM-FORT AT A WESTERN PACIFIC BASE (Thursday), May 3.-A Jap anese suicide plane explosion which wiped out all three surgery rooms aboard this American hospital ship threw 2d Lt. Nurse Evelyn C. Bacheler into the air and onto the stirrups holding a patient to whom she was given an anesthetic. The patient was killed.

Miss Bacheler, who is from Pocatello, Idaho, was one of the two nurses working in surgery who survived the deliberate kamikaze attack, 50 miles south of Okinawa, Saturday night.

Five operations were in progress when the single-engined Japanese plane hit the superstructure deck, blowing out the bulkheads of the three operating rooms.

Anesthetic Tanks Explode. After the explosion of the attack plane's bomb and gasoline supply, tanks containing oxygen and nitrous oxide, which were being used for the anesthetic, also blew up and hurled

Nurse Bacheler to the deck. On arrival of the mercy ship here, the nurse told of the experience. "All hell broke loose," she said.

the people who had been there in

surgery three, trying to find out if

they were all right.

a porthole and onto the deck.

Made Second Attempt.

The Comfort's skipper, Comdr. A.

where we could see him against the his family Tuesday night.

feet, circled around again to star- and a detachment from Company A. board and diver again. The plane 141st Regiment, 36th Infantry Divi- Field Marshal von Runstedt, Gerhit nearly amidship on the super- sion, structure deck, directly in the sec- A 7th Army announcement said it gist. were wiped out."

Engine Goes Through Decks. the superstructure deck, the deck, aid man. the main deck and the second deck. Evidently it carried a small bomb.

Comdr. Tooker said the casualties, M. Patch's 7th Army headquarters, were trapped by Germans and young nearly all of them in the surgery Gen. Dahlquist told me that he rooms, were seven Army wounded was in pajamas when Von Rundstedt awarded the Bronze Star and later rom Okinawa, who were killed; five was brought in. Army surgeons killed, one Navy med- "Maybe I should have put on release and one Navy cook killed, a total of said. "I explained that I had been working there for a retail credit forces.

One Army corpsman is missing. At Gen. Patch's headquarters, Von October, 1939. Mrs. Burke is a nathree Army officers, four Army appeared tired and nervous from nurses and nine Army enlisted men. the long trip from Bad Toelz and Lawler Is Nominated three Army officers, four Army appeared tired and nervous from

BILLFOLD, either on Cheverly bus or on Bureau of Engraving car, leaving 13th and D sts. ne. 6.45 a m. contents, money pas, bond, other important papers. Call WA 9319 after 6 p.m. Reward

The contents of the 21st Army Corps, to sit and chat.

For more than an hour the former German commander in chief in

MACK SCOTTIE. 2 yrs. old. licence No. 55474. "Skippy." MR. K. BERGERON. 4317 River rd. n.w. Woodley 5931.

BRACELET. identification. gold; vicinity F st. and Alexandria Bus Terminal, 12th and Pa. ave.; reward. TE. 7491.

mer German commander in chief in the west sipped coffee and cognac. Young of Texas to be solicitor of the Commerce Department.

Mr. Lawler will succeed Ramsey S. Black, who is leaving the Post strongheant of the Commerce Department.

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Mr. Young, who is leaving the Post Sical.

"This is a painful experience for an old soldier," he said in a low voice. "Forty-three years * * * A

Mr. Young, who was secretary to

FOUNTAIN PEN, green Schaefer, between Union Station and 5400 9th st. n.w.; name on it "Mary J. Eliff." GE. 0982. Reward.

GLASSES, gold plate, bifocal, brown leather case; vic. 14th st. Wash. or King st. Alex. Va. Sat. NA. 7460, Ext. 417, MR. Col. Rinaldo

PACKAGE OF CURRENCY, between 5th and Kennedy n.w. and Nichols ave. s.e.: Rundstedt said, "And I like your Lt. James F. Mills was named

POCKETBOOK. black patent leather, in vicinity of College Park of restaurant on New York ave., containing ration books, money, keys, etc. Reward. AD, 8700. POCKETBOOK, black leather, containing check, glasses and cash. Call WO. 6343. PURSE, black, hand-crocheted, vicinity list and M sts. containing personal papers, ration books; also cash. Reward, WI, 8386. RIDING BOOT, one, with shoetree inside, between 19th and G sts. n.w. and 23rd and G sts. n.w.; reward. ME. 2011.

St. Reward. Eves., 3348 Prospect ave. n.w. D day—particularly in the Paris The other all-Negro company is area—prevented him from bring-No. 4 Engine Company at 934 R

WALLET, brown leather, contained valuable papers, lost near Griffith Stadium; reward, ROGER WILLIAMS, GL. 2809.
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Hiller Dies Just Five Years

Hamburg was considered second only street N.W. Also located at Hamburg is the famous seewarte, or naval weather station, which often had given the German Army vital information on the weather. Hiller Dies Just Five Years

WATCH, lady's white gold Gruen, initials on back "MER"; reward. Call SH. 2921.
WHITE SPITZ, brown eyes, name "Georgie": lost in vicinity of northeast. Reward. HO. 5721.

WIRE-HAIRED TERRIER, male, answers name "Oscar": vicinity of Bethesda. Reward. OL. 1164.

Py the Associated Press. PITTSBURGH, Managed and forgot ward. OL. 1164.

wrist watch, lady's, yellow gold. Elgin, mander, "and aren't you surprised to see the destruction your bombers and artillery have caused?"

mander, "and aren't you surprised to See the destruction your bombers and artillery have caused?" MRS. MARY M. GRAY. 1728 L st. n.e.

WRIST WATCH, man's. Bulova: on dock at
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VON RUNDSTEDT AFTER CAPTURE-American 7th Army MPs guard Field Marshal Karl Gerd von Rundstedt (left), former supreme commander on Germany's western front; his son, Lt. Hans G. von Rundstedt (center), and a medical attendant, after their capture in Bavaria. -Signal Corps Photo via AP.

"Mechanized war is not pretty,"

ture from their 28-year-old son in

Lt. Burke, his parents related, won

a commission for his part in its

President Truman today nomi-

nated Joseph J. Lawler of Pennsyl-

mission and that Negroes topping

with the Health Department, have

exactly five years to a day from ber.

the time the late Col. Samuel Har-

fered a \$1,000,000 bounty for the

death of the German Fuehrer was

was withdrawn promptly on June 1.

tive of Pittsburgh.

"Bulliheads were flying through the air. I remember being thrown into

Associated Press Staff Correspondent. in its proper light.

May 3.—Thin-lipped Field Marshal 1917 and 1918. Brannan of Morgantown, W. Va., stedt, Germany's top military stratewho was just finishing an opera- gist, who was taken prisoner by station in Europe, said Portugal had Medical Association; Dr. Arch L. Baron Maximilian Friehen von prisoners yesterday. The American tion. The blast blew him through American troops south of Munich, and railroads, and, in Normandy, ordered two days of mourning for Riddick, alternate delegate. told his captors it was senseless for your naval bombardment was trouthe Reich to fight any longer.

The man who directed the Ger- miles around Caen. man armies at the peak of their suc-Tooker of Saybrook, Conn., said the suicide plane was first seen while to the depths of defeat was cansuicide plane was first seen while apparently diving for the brightly to the depths of defeat, was captured Badd Cross-marked hospital lighted Badd Cross-marked hospital lighted, Redd Cross-marked hospital ant on his first combat assignment. For Aiding 'Lost Battalion' ship from the starboard quarter. The marshal was surprised at his "Apparently." he said, "the pilot home in the little spa of Bad Toelz, JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 3 (P). decided he was going to miss, be- about 5 miles from Munich, just -Only Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Joscause he pulled up on the port side after he had finished dining with eph E. Burke, sr., received a pic-The capture was made by Lt. his new lieutenant's uniform.

"Then he climbed to about 500 Joseph Burke of Jacksonville, Fla., Then yesterday-a few hours later

tion where the three surgeries were was Lt. Burke's first combat assignlocated. All the operating rooms ment since he received a battlefield Mrs. Burke. command three weeks ago. Taken At St. Petersburg the wife of Lt. prisoner with the field marshal were Joseph E. Burke, jr., was told the his son and aide, Lt. Hans Gerd von news by a reporter. She burst into The plane's engine went through Rundstedt; a driver and a medical tears of joy

He was brought to the command his battlefield promotion only three post of Maj. Gen. John Dahlquist, weeks ago as the result of his part which made a second hole through 36th Division commander, at 3 a.m. in the "Lost Battalion" action last only the superstructure deck and the Later he was driven away in a blind- March in the Vosges foothills. ing snow storm to Lt. Gen. Alexander A group of 270 American soldiers for the death of Hitler.

asleep and he seemed to understand." company

Nine Okinawa wounded patients Rundstedt said he was relieved of were injured, as were three Navy his command March 1 because of officers, three Navy enlisted men, failing health. The field marshal These 22 wounded were transferred declined to answer questions of here from the ship to shore hospitals. newsmen. However, he readily acnewsmen. However, he readily accepted an offer of Maj. Gen. Frank As Post Office Aide W. Milburn, Lafayette, Ind., com-

FRENCH BULLDOG, black, Tuesday p.m., license No. 35798, Return to MISS LORING, black, Tuesday p.m., license No. 35798, Return to MISS LORING, spect for the field marshal's ability an administrative capacity there.

FUR SCARF. 5 skins: lost in taxi around midnight. May 1, between 14th and Columbia rd. and Butterworth pl. n.w.:

Von Runstedt accepted coffee and reward. WO. 2813.

He succeeds South Trimble, jr., fall in who is becoming chairman of the days accepted. Who is becoming chairman of the days reward. Wo. 2813.

FUR SCARF. 5 skins: lost in taxi around who is becoming chairman of the days cognac and, a bit embarrassed, asked for a cigarette. asked for a cigarette.

"In the German Army we get only two a day," he smiled, "and they Second Negro-Staffed Col. Rinaldo von Brunt, San Antonio, Tex., pulled a package of a

IDENTIFICATION BRACELET, lady's, gold, popular American brand from his The second Negro-staffed fire-6417.

KEY, gold. initials "W. H. S.." name scian, who had accompanied him. Sonny" on back. Please return to S. protested: "His heart!"

pocket, but Von Rundstedt's phyhouse in the District, No. 27 Engine Company, at Minnesota avenue and for some time have been massed for some time have been massed a successor to Admiral Nicholas and the company of "I'd rather smoke than eat," Von stalled at 6 p.m. tomorrow.

brand best. There are few things captain and several other men were Hamburg area. left now-and the doctors try to promoted to ranks of lieutenant and keep me from enjoying them." Though Von Rundstedt was im- Although in several cases men were maculate in a grey-green dress uni- advanced several grades, it was ex-

"My last uniform," he said the commission list got the higher "Everything I had was destroyed ranks. PURSE, lady's velvet: lost near Ga. ave. and Kennedy st.; ration books, personal papers. Box 331-X. Star. • last March when your air force bombed my command post in a ing emergency ambulance service. bombed my command post in a ing emergency ambulance service

Von Rundstedt expressed the been transferred to the new comgreatest respect for American air pany, being relieved of their ambulation of Pentagon bus.

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"This is beautiful country through

ward. Ol. 1164.

WHIST WATCH, man's yellow gold. and strap: reward. Call Executive 7030.

"Yes," said the German commander, "and aren't you surprised den Church, once president of Car-

"No, sir," replied Brig. Gen. Ward capture of Adolf Hitler, that the WRIST WATCH, lady's Longines; Monday; reward. National 2485.

WRIST WATCH, lady's Hamilton, with 6 command made?" Gen. Maris asked. WRIST WATCH, lady's Hamilton, with 6 command made?" Gen. Maris asked. Von Runstedt was silent for a minute, then replied that he could "What do you figure was the announced in Berlin. minute, then replied that he could good for one month only. A bond WRIST WATCH, lady's Bulova, white gold, not say because he lacked the per- for \$1,000,000, posted by the colonel

By Nazi Deserters

RELEGAD TICKET—Upon identification and paying cost this "ad," will return to the German source here.

In Sexapier, Box 345-X, Star.

In Sexapier, Box 345-X, Star.

Eire and Portugal the operating table stirrups and then picking myself off the floor. Reminisces With U. S. Generals Mark Hitler's Death spective to evaluate the campaign By the Associated Press.

WITH UNITED STATES 7th Gen. Maris observed that the Hitler were expressed last night by first vice president; Dr. Dorothy S. they were celebrating the end of Most of those in the room were ARMY IN SOUTHERN BAVARIA, German artillery did not seem up to Prime Minister Eamon de Valera Jaeger, second vice president; Dr. borothy S. the war. "We couldn't concentrate it,"

the German Fuehrer.

blesome—coming in as far as 25 Both countries also expressed sorrow previously at the death of President Roosevelt. The Eire Parliament adjourned April 13 as Parliament adjourned April 13 as a mark of respect to the late Presi-countries. British troops are only day, for a total since D day for Gen. displaced persons were liberated. dent and in Lisbon Premier Salazar 35 miles from Kiel. and other Portuguese officials attended special religious services.

agency, reported today.

-they read how he had captured Tokyo publication, as saying edi- mark, and Gen. Franz Boeme, Nazi Gen. Patton's Texas and Oklahoma The Scots met a few parachute torially "it would be advisable for military chief in Norway. Both (90th) Division crossed into Czecho- troops who had been fighting on the many's top-ranking military strateus to adopt an attitude of watchful had thrown their lot in with slovakia near Stary Pastrekov and Canadian front waiting until the European situa- Doenitz. tion has become a bit clearer."

connection with Hitler's death.

erland had offered no condolences

Hamburg

He and his wife were married in nounced orders, especially of the their own decisions and end the curfew, the government offices and hopeless struggle. factories of Hamburg, with the exat 1000 hours (10 a.m.)."

> the authorization of the gauleiter," the broadcast concluded.

tion of 1.682,220, is the center about leaders in Norway, as indicated by For more than an hour the forman to be Third Assistant Postmorth ordinarily which German resistance in the the ousting of Admiral Otto Ciliax. master German commander in chief in who was known to favor capitula-

S. Black, who is leaving the Post stronghold. The news underscored Office Department on May 6 to be- reports that the Germans were about to surrender in Denmark.

Mr. Young, who was secretary to vice President Wallace, went to the defended. "This is not an interrogation or Commerce Department when Mr. It was considered possible that anything of that sort," said Gen. Wallace was named head of that the notorious Lord Haw Haw, the with a broadcast asserting that

He succeeds South Trimble, jr., fall into British hands. Only two Von Runstedt accepted coffee and who is becoming chairman of the days ago he broadcast from Ham-Following the official announce-

ment that the city would give up without a fight, instructions were was approaching the vanishing Dairies and milk retail shops point. which were closed today were asked to reopen immediately, so that chil-

Hunt place N.E., will be officially in- along the Elbe River opposite Hamthe east side of the river, in the panied by former Iraq Minister

Hamburg had been reported resergeant to staff the new company. cently in a chaotic condition as Gen. Dempsey's 2d Army forged a siege form with thin red piping down the plained that the promotions had the arc. British artillery has been trouser seam, he apologized for his approval of the Civil Service Com- pounding Hamburg's defenses.

U-Boat Yards Battered The important U-boat yards at Hamburg have been plastered mercilessly by British and American

Hamburg is located on the mouth of the Elbe River, 70 miles from the North Sea. Its port city is Cuxhaven, but in peacetime days Hamburg's great docks could accommodate even transoceanic liners

After Million Reward Offer which provided Field Marshal von Rundstedt with accurate information for the launching of his futile PITTSBURGH, May 3.—It was Belgian bulge offensive last Decem-

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House Tuesday that the President would go on the air when Germany

There was a feeling here, too, that fanatic Nazi determination to continue fighting Russia until complete

The loss of Berlin and the death Gason Stomach

Allied acceptance of this view was tive Dr. Hans Fritsche to have comlate to the Americans and British, sians as well

Wanted to Fight On.

This jibed with reports that Doe- at midnight. nitz had ordered Nazi troops facing the Americans and British to withdraw to the eastern front. Himmler's exact position was un-

"full authority" in Germany as Hit-

Western Front

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Dominate Inn River.

advanced 6 miles to within 29 of

Pilsen and its Skoda munitions

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Dr. Herbst. sion to power. practiced for some time in Minneapolis, before confirmed by Acting Secretary of

Georgetown Medical School.

Other officers named for the com-Condolences over the death of ing year were: Dr. Fred A. J. Geier, in mopping up Munich. Many said

Eisenhower's armies of 2,801,915.

STOCKHOLM May 3 (P).—It was that he had not carried on any Despite the surrender in Italy, officially stated today that Sweden negotiations, "least of all about Gen. Eisenhower kept his threehad presented no condolences in any capitulation." Gen. Boeme had army offensive rolling in the south.

dinavia. In some official quarters, it was felt that a general debacle was imminent on the heels of Gerical officer killed, six Army nurses my dress uniform, but I didn't think killed, nine Army corpsmen killed it necessary," the American officer bia. S. C., in December, 1943, while force of arms by the occupation showed Despite had no control over these developments. showed Doenitz had no control over the German military situation and For the execution of the an- thus the commanders might make

But some Britons expressed the ception of the electricity and water- opinion that the calls for last-ditch works, will close down this morning battles in Scandinavia by the German commanders had dimmed

Embassy in London said a sharp Hameurg, with a prewar popula- split had developed among German Its fall deprived the remnants of German military leaders appeared the German Army of a northern to be following the Doenitz line. German activities:

It was the first of the Germans' cast an order of the day signed by cities to be declared open and un- Field Marshal Ferdinand Schoerner

A free Czechoslovak radio station asserted patriots were rising against the Germans in that possible hold-

Hapsburg Reported in Flight. From the Swiss border came a report that Archduke Albrecht von burg and had made a crossing to tried to enter Switzerland, accom-Rashid Ali, but that both were turned back at the border.

In Washington, President Truman late yesterday replied with a no when asked if he had any early plans to address the country. It

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disintegration took place appeared of Hitler were blows to German to have blasted any prospect of a morale. Soldiers and officers now sudden end to the war in Europe were released from their personal through wholesale surrender of the paths of fealty to the man whom Moscow said is reported by the cap-

One of the largest potential death traps for the enemy was in Western had failed to reply when told that Holland, where the German 25th the only acceptable terms included Army had opened a corridor for unconditional surrender to the Rus- movement of food to the starving

Gen. Henry Crerar's Canadian Himmler's offer to cease fighting Army moved into Oldenburg (33,on the western front was coupled 000) and approached the North Sea with a declaration that he "hoped" submarine bases of Emden and Wilto carry on the war against Russia. helmshaven, 4 and 15 miles away,

The British 6th Air-borne Division formed the latest junction with the Russians near Wismar, about midway between Luebeck (154,630) and clear since Admiral Donetz's acces- Rostock (122,399). Late yesterday, the Russians and American 9th In unconclusive peace negotiations Army's Rail Splitter (84th) Division joined south of Wittenberge, form-State Grew late yesterday, the ing another trap along the Elbe on In effect, the Red armies and

Gen. Eisenhower's forces were linked up all the way from the North German coast to a point somewhere between the Czechoslovak border and the Dresden region. Some Germans in the north were trian provinces had been surrenattempting to get away by sea British fighter-bombers struck at Lt. Col. James N. Greear, jr., is Seventh Army columns which ad- the routed foe and destroyed more serving overseas with the Army, was vanced along mountain roads ig- than 1,500 vehicles yesterday. Pilots elected a member of the executive board for four years beginning July 1

The Rainbow (42d) Division of a 1,000-ton troopship. British alone took 50,000 captives yesterday bombers attacked Kiel in the night.

Thousands of Prisoners Taken. Field Marshal Montgomery's

armies were taking prisoners at a of Eire to Dr. Eduard Hemple, Ger- Harry F. Dowling, member of the The general German crackup was rate that defied tabulation. The board of censors; Dr. Coursen B, accelerated. Supreme headquarters British 5th Infantry Division alone ABSIE, the American broadcasting Conklin, delegate to the American listed the capture of Field Marshal was estimated to have taken 55,000 Weichs, former German commander 82d Air-borne Division, fighting in the Balkans, Field Marshal Hugo alongside the British 2d Army, cap-Sperrle, who as commander of the tured even more. The British 11th German air force directed the blitz Armored Division which captured on London, plus 18 generals. Some Luebeck took 18,000. 93,797 Germans surrendered Mon-Many Allied prisoners of war and

The British 11th Armored Division The Germans in the north suroverran Offlag 10C, freeing more than 7,000 prisoners. By capturing SAN FRANCISCO, May 3 (AP).— had been definite signs that the In the south, the 3d Army domi-land routes into Schleswig-Holstein

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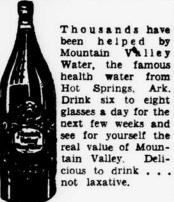
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DOG. Toy Collie Spitz, female, white with brown spots, on Independence ave. two weeks ago. SH. 3749.

DOG. in Clarendon. Va.: believed crossed between spitz and collie, light brown, male, young. Chestnut 5460.

Deserters of a Volkssturm battalion who were trying to reach the Russian lines mistook Dietrich, in his Nazi party uniform, for a Waffen Recknoad Ticket—Upon identification Science Field A. Johnston of Spokane, wash, today was re-elected for a fourth term as president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

The board also named these two new regional vice presidents for the coming year: Joseph W. Evans, officer, and shot him, according fourth. Fisk-Goodyear Expert Paint Advice Free CallCARLING. Tires-Batteries CAPITOL WASHINGTON'S "LITTLE DETROIT" Tire Distributors

Dr. Herbst Is Named President-Elect of D. C. Medical Society

Dr. William P. Herbst, jr., has German forces. been chosen president-elect of the District Medical Society, to take indicated by official disclosure that mitted suicide. office as president July 1, 1946, it Himmler, after offering to capituwas announced A native of the

District, who served in the Navy during the last war, Dr. Herbst is a graduate of Georgetown University Medical School. He did postgraduate work at the Mayo Clinic at Roch-

ester, Minn., for six years, and

returning here. Dr. Herbst was elected at the so-Dr. Herbst was elected at the so-Gestpo chief had claimed to have its course above Dessau. night. He will succeed Dr. William Earl Clark, now president-elect, who ler lay dying. was-elevated to that post last year, and who will become president next July 1. Dr. Clark, a native of Philadelphia, also was graduated from

Dr. William M. Ballinger, first vice president of the Medical Society, who has been acting president while July 1.

Peace

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There was no clarification last night of the situation in Denmark, rendered in wholesale lots. where since early Tuesday there Tokyo newspapers are treating re- Germans were evacuating the Island nated the Inn River on a 66-mile and Denmark. ports of Adolf Hitler's death with of Sjaelland. Against this were front and had crossed the wide tribcaution, Domei, the Japanese news orders of the day from Col. Gen. utary of the Danube at least half a supreme headquarters placed the George Lindemann, commander of dozen times. Braunau, birthplace 15th Scottish Division in the edge of Domei quoted Asahi, prominent German military forces in Den- of Hitler, was occupied completely. Sachsen Forest east of Hamburg.

Still Defiant.

Lindemann had declared bluntly works. issued a defiant order of the day It appeared that Field Marshal Albert to his troops that "the fight for Kesselring-who has been listed as A dispatch from Bern said Switz- Germany is today as valid as ever." a war criminal-intended to main-In London there were varying tain control if he could over the opinions on the possibility of peace- Germans facing the American 3d ful German capitulation in Scan-

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"This announcement is made with hopes for a bloodless liberation. A spokesman for the Norweigan

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